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Good Afternoon,
Attached is the ASLM/BLM Agenda and Weekly Report for May 26, 2017.

Regards, TR

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BLM-ASLM Agenda
May 26, 2017
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I. Executive Travel: May 28, 2017 – June 3, 2017

BLM Acting Director Michael Nedd and Acting Deputy Director for Policy and Programs Kathleen Benedetto will be in the office attending regularly scheduled meetings. Acting Deputy Director Operations John Ruhs will be out of the office on annual leave Wednesday, May 24, through Tuesday, May 30.

II. Agenda Items

- Military Land Withdrawals
- Response to GAO-17-307, *Oil and Gas Development: Improved Collection and Use of Data Could Enhance BLM's Ability to Assess and Mitigate Environmental Impacts*
- S.O. 3349 Sections 5(a) and (b) – Mitigation
- Sabinoso Land Donation
- Helium Sale and Auction
- Hydraulic Fracturing Rule
- Weekly Updates Report
 - WO-200 meeting with NACo week of May 29, 2017
 - NEPA & Planning Streamlining – Team Meeting Week of May 15, 2017
- Priority Packages (see Sections III through V, below)

III. Top-Priority Items with ASLM: *(Items in blue font require the template for ROD's and other Decision Documents)*

1. Notice of Temporary Closures of Public Land in Washoe County, Nevada: BLMR001505
2. Notice of Crude Helium Auction and Sale for Fiscal Year 2018 Delivery: BLMR001460
3. Extension of the Category 5 Royalty Rate Reduction Qualification for Oklahoma Federal Coal Within a Designated Area of Nine Oklahoma Counties (OKNM 96155): BLMR001538
4. Sabinoso Land Donation: BLM0010930
5. BLM's Response to GAO -17-307, *Oil and Gas Development: Improved Collection and Use of Data Could Enhance BLM's Ability to Assess and Mitigate Environmental Impacts*: BLM0011041
6. Proposed Rule to Rescind the 2015 Hydraulic Fracturing Rule: BLMR001546
7. Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement and Notice of Public Meeting on a Federal Coal Lease-by-Application in the Decertified Powder River Federal Coal Production Region, WY: BLMR001495
8. Discretionary Financial Assistance Actions for Office of the Secretary Review: BLM0010877
9. Cadiz Water Conservation Recovery and Storage Project: BLM0010189
10. Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Public Lands in New Mexico: BLMR001198

IV. Items incoming to ASLM: *(Items in blue font require the template for ROD's and other Decision Documents)*

- Notice of Availability of the Record of Decision for the Boardman to Hemingway Transmission Line Project: BLMR001401
- Notice of Application for Withdrawal, Notice of Public Meeting, and Extension of Public Comment Period for Proposed Withdrawal in the Methow Valley; Washington: BLMR001550
- Notice of Application for Withdrawal and Notification of Public Meetings; South Dakota and Wyoming Correction: BLMR001497
- Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Assessment to Reconsider the Record of Decision Approving Segments 8 and 9 for the Gateway West Transmission Line Project: BLMR001608
- Alaska Native Claims Selection: BLMR001565
- Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Normally Pressured Lance Natural Gas Development Project: BLMR001580
- BLM0010420: SunZia Southwest Transmission Project
- Bridger Teton NF Leases
- Notice of Intent for draft Record of Decision (ROD) Proposed Monument Management Plan, Craters of the Moon National Monument, Idaho: and associated ROD package

V. Pending Packages in ASLM:

1. **BLMR001505** - Notice of Temporary Closures of Public Land in Washoe County, NV
2. **BLMR001460** - Notice of Crude Helium Auction and Sale for FY 18 Delivery
3. **BLMR001546** - Proposed Rule to Rescind the 2015 Hydraulic Fracturing Rule
4. **BLMR001583** - Automatic Adjustment of Minimum SRP Fee
5. **BLM0010189** - Surname-Cadiz Water Conservation Recovery and Storage Project
6. **BLM0010199** - Notice of proposed withdrawal in Inyo County, CA (1.3m ac)
7. **BLMR001198** - Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Public Lands New Mexico
8. **BLM0010608** - June 9 Oil and Gas lease sale. Sen Bennett; re parcels in Grand Co
9. **BLMR001538** - FR Notice announcing the extension of royalty rate reductions for 9 OK counties
10. **BLMR001495** - NOI to Prepare EIS – Antelope West II Coal LBA
11. **BLMR001497** - Notice of Application for Withdrawal and Notice of Public Meeting, Correction
12. **BLMR001574** - Notice of Filing of Plants of Survey CO
13. **BLMR001581** - Notice of Filing of Plats in WY
14. **BLMR001429** – Notice of Filing Plats of Survey; Utah
15. **BLM0010518** - Response to Hatch/Steward re Alton Coal
16. **BLM00010609** - Response to Gyrnberg Petroleum Co. - Lease development
17. **BLMR001299** – Notice of Proposed FS Withdrawal of the Schwartz and Leff Admin. Site/Pub. Comment; Klamath Nat Forest, CA. (Historic/cultural site)

VI. Weekly Report:

Week Ahead Schedule of Meetings, Hearings, and Travel May 29 to June 4, 2017

Acting ASLM Kate MacGregor will be in Washington, DC, attending regularly scheduled meetings.

Week Ahead Announcements and Actions

On May 30, the BLM will participate in a tribal listening session regarding E.O. 13792, “Review of Designations Under the Antiquities Act,” hosted by the BIA in Billings, MT. The session will allow tribal members the opportunity to provide input on monuments prior to issuance of the Secretary’s interim report to the President on June 15.

On May 31, BLM-MT Acting State Director Jon Raby will attend the annual Montana Association of State Grazing Districts meeting in Great Falls, MT, to provide a brief update on recent BLM activities in the State. The meeting is scheduled in conjunction with the Montana Stockgrowers mid-year meeting and Sen. Daines’ Agricultural Summit.

On May 31 – June 1, to kick off June as Great Outdoors Month, Partners Outdoors 2017 will take place at the South Interior Building. This annual event brings partners from the public and private sectors together to highlight recreation community efforts and showcase innovation. BLM Acting Director Mike Nedd and BLM staff will participate.

On June 1, BLM-CO Southwest District Manager Joe Meyer and staff will tour the West Elk Mine, owned by Mountain Coal Company, near Somerset, CO, to observe its longwall coal mining operations in connection with a two pending lease modifications. The lease modifications will add 800 and 922 acres to existing leases and will ensure coal reserves are recovered and not bypassed. The West Elk Mine employs over 300 people and produces 5.1 million tons of coal per year. The USFS has the lead, with the BLM as a cooperating agency, for analysis of the proponent’s request for a coal lease modification adjacent to the existing mine.

On June 1, the BLM will participate in a tribal listening session regarding E.O. 13792, “Review of Designations Under the Antiquities Act,” hosted by the BIA in Phoenix, AZ. The session will allow tribal members the opportunity to provide input on monuments prior to issuance of the Secretary’s interim report to the President on June 15.

On June 3 – August 24, planned Trans-Alaska Pipeline system shutdowns will occur for maintenance and testing of emergency systems. The first 18-hour maintenance shutdown took place on May 6 to isolate the main incoming crude header for cleaning and inspection. Alyeska Pipeline Services Company and BLM-AK’s Branch of Pipeline Monitoring will observe the shutdowns.

30-60 Day Look-Ahead

On June 6, BLM-AK State Director Bud Cribley will present an update on the status of the environmental cleanup at the Red Devil Mine in southwest AK to the Orutsarmiut Native Council in Bethel, AK.

On June 7, BLM-MT Acting State Director Jon Raby will attend the annual Governor’s Fire Season Briefing in Missoula, MT. Hosted by the State, the briefing will also include representatives from the USFWS, BIA, USFS, and rural fire departments.

On June 7, the BLM implementation lead for the Desert Renewable Energy Conservation Plan, Russell Scofield, will present an update at the annual Mojave Commanders’ Summit at Edwards Air Force Base. Military commanders and staff from the China Lake Naval Weapons Center, Navy Region Southwest, Fort Irwin, Edwards Air Force Base, and Twenty Nine Palms Marine Corps Base will attend.

On June 8, BLM-CO will hold an online oil and gas lease sale for 86 parcels totaling 73,288 acres in Jackson, Routt, Rio Blanco and Moffat Counties. BLM-CO removed 20 parcels in Grand County from its original parcel list due to low energy potential and reduced industry interest in the geographic area, as well as concern from local government and the public regarding impacts to water resources. Bidding is not expected to be robust.

On June 8, BLM-NM will hold an online oil and gas lease sale for 18 parcels totaling 4,376 acres in Roger Mills, Ellis, Canadian, and Major Counties, OK; and Live Oak, McMullen, Washington, Burleson, and Jackson Counties, TX. This sale may be controversial as BLM received 26 protests from homeowners adjacent to Lake Somerville, TX, regarding potential impacts to water quality. Bidding is not expected to be robust.

On June 8 – 9, BLM-NV Elko District Office staff will host a booth at the annual Elko Mining Expo, which attracts an estimated 10,000 attendees and more than 400 vendors around the world. Staff will answer questions about mining and minerals, recreation, invasive weeds, and the wild horse and burro program.

On June 9, BLM anticipates circulating for BLM and Department review the draft Venting & Flaring Interim Rule and supporting documents. The interim rule delays implantation of the final rule by 18 months which, in accordance with S.O. 3349, was reviewed and determined by the BLM to not be fully consistent with the President’s Executive Order “Promoting Energy Dependence and Economic Growth”.

On June 11 - 14, BLM’s Wild Horse and Burro Program Division Chief Dean Bolstad will present updates on the program at the American Horse Council annual conference in Washington, DC.

On June 12, the BLM will participate in a tribal listening session regarding E.O. 13792 hosted by the BIA in Uncasville, CT. The session, which is being held in conjunction with the National Congress of American Indians Mid-Year Conference, will allow tribal members the opportunity to provide input on Antiquities Act monuments prior to issuance of the Secretary’s interim report to the President on June 15.

On June 12 – 16, Acting BLM-MT State Director Jon Raby plans to conduct courtesy visits with members and staff of the MT, ND and SD delegations in Washington, DC to discuss public land issues, including energy development, pipelines, grazing and rangeland, mining, and fire management.

On June 13, BLM-MT will hold an online oil and gas lease sale for 156 parcels totaling 69,056 acres in Custer, Garfield, Fallon, Carter, Rosebud, Big Horn, and Powder River Counties. All of the parcels are located in the Miles City area. The sale is not expected to be controversial. The bidding is not expected to be particularly robust.

On June 13, BLM-UT will hold an online oil and gas lease sale for 20 parcels covering 23,733 acres in Sevier, Piute, Garfield, and Sanpete Counties. While approximately half of the parcels are within Sage-Grouse Priority Habitat Management Areas, the sale is not expected to be controversial. The bidding may be robust on a few parcels that are located close to a producing field.

On June 14, BLM-NV will hold an online oil and gas lease sale for 106 parcels totaling 195,732 acres in Nye, Eureka, and Lander Counties. The sale is expected to be controversial based on public reaction to the lease Environmental Assessment, which included concerns regarding the proximity of the parcels to wetland areas and cultural sites. Bidding has the potential to be robust.

On June 15, BLM plans to publish in the *Federal Register* a Notice of Intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the West Antelope 3 Lease-by-Application for approximately

3,508.31 acres (containing approximately 441 million tons of in-place coal). The acreage is a tract of Federal coal adjacent to the Antelope Mine in Campbell and Converse counties, WY, and is necessary to maintain production at the existing mine. The notice will also announce the date of a public scoping meeting to be held in Wright, WY.

On June 19, BLM plans to publish in the *Federal Register* a Notice of Intent to Prepare a Supplemental EIS for the Mont Hope Project, a new molybdenum mine, in Eureka County, NV. The project encompasses approximately 8,355 acres of new surface disturbance, 8,092 of which are on public lands administered by the BLM. The Supplemental EIS is being prepared following a decision by the Ninth Circuit finding the justification for air quality analysis insufficient. The SEIS will also supplement the analysis of public water reserves.

On June 20 or June 27, the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee tentatively plans to hold a hearing on “Federal/State partnerships to Restore Landscapes.” A BLM witness, yet to be determined, will testify.

On June 21, BLM plans to hold an auction of Federally-owned crude helium. Under the Helium Stewardship Act of 2013, the BLM must offer for auction and sale annually a portion of the helium reserves stored underground at the Cliffside Gas Field, near Amarillo, Texas. The BLM anticipates auctioning 500 MMcf in a total of 30 lots for delivery in FY 2018. Following the auction, the BLM will offer an allocated sale in which helium is offered to refiners, and a non-allocated sale in which the helium is offered to non-refiners.

On June 22, BLM-Eastern States (ES) will hold an online oil and gas lease sale for 2 parcels totaling 160 acres in AR. Bidding is not expected to be robust, and the sale is not expected to be controversial.

On June 22, BLM-WY will hold an online oil and gas lease sale for 26 parcels totaling 31,975 acres in Laramie, Carbon, Sweetwater, Sublette, and Uinta Counties. Bidding is not expected to be robust, and the sale is not expected to be controversial.

On June 22, BLM and Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest staff will hold a public scoping meeting on a 20-year mineral withdrawal proposal by the USFS for approximately 340,000 acres of land in the upper Methow River drainage in Washington State. Currently, there are pre-existing mining claims in this area and valid existing rights will be honored. The proposed action will withdraw these lands from settlement, sale, location, and entry for a period of 20 years while Congress considers legislation introduced by U.S. Senators Murray and Cantwell to permanently withdraw the areas.

On June 22 - 25, BLM-AK will partner with Project Healing Waters Fly Fishing to host an annual fly-fishing event for wounded veterans in the Delta Wild and Scenic River corridor.

On June 23, BLM-OR’s Myrtlewood Field Office will hold the Crystal Clear Timber Sale (116 acres; 5,605 mbf) and First Floras Timber Sale (25 acres; 1,295 mbf). These sales may be controversial due to ongoing conflicts between conservation interests and the logging/timber industry.

On June 26, four individuals charged with various crimes during the 2014 Gold Butte cattle impoundment are scheduled to be re-tried following the declaration of a mistrial on April 24, 2017. BLM-NV communications are being coordinated with BLM-WO and the Department of Justice.

On June 26 - 30, BLM-CA State Director Jerry Perez plans to conduct courtesy visits with members and staff of the CA Congressional delegation in Washington, DC to discuss public land management issues, including oil and gas development, planning efforts, wildfire, renewable energy, and recreation.

In late-June/early July, BLM plans to issue the Boardman to Hemingway Record of Decision. On February 28, BLM received the Biological Opinion from the National Marine Fisheries Service. BLM-OR land use plan amendments are being handled concurrently and the decision will be issued simultaneously with the ROD for the EIS and approval to issue a right-of-way grant. The ROD will be set up for ASLM approval and will be submitted in advance for review.

On July 13, the BLM-AK Glennallen Field Office will begin issuing permits for the 2017 - 2018 Unit 13 Federal subsistence moose and caribou hunting seasons. The BLM issues nearly 3,500 Federal subsistence permits annually and provides permitting opportunities to rural residents in Delta Junction, Cantwell, Slana, and Glennallen. Federal subsistence hunting maps, answers to frequently asked questions, and subsistence education materials and links are updated annually, and available at the BLM Glennallen Field Office.

On August 3, BLM-NV Las Vegas Field Office will hold the spring land sale under the Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act (SNPLMA) in Las Vegas. The BLM proposes to offer 81.25 acres of public land in 17 parcels for competitive sale. In accordance with SNPLMA, funds generated by this proposed sale will be used for projects such as the development of parks, trails, and natural areas, capital improvements on Federal lands, acquisition of environmentally sensitive land, and Lake Tahoe restoration projects. Five percent of the sale revenue will be directed to the State of Nevada General Education Fund and ten percent to the Southern Nevada Water Authority.

V. Major Federal Register Notices and Approval Packages:

BLM Federal Register Notices as of May 25, 2017, 2:00 p.m. ET

- **Notices in blue text** were received by the Division of Regulatory Affairs during the past week.
- **Notices in green text** are managed by the Div. of Lands and Realty. Please contact Brenda Wilhight with questions about these notices.
- **Notices in red text** are renewable-energy-related notices.

| Alaska State Office | | |
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| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Call for Nominations and Comments for the 2017 National Petroleum Reserve in Alaska Oil and Gas Lease Sale. | 5/23/17 | 5/23/17 Sent to WO 310. (DTS 1617) |
| Proposed Supplementary Rules for Public Lands Managed by the Eastern Interior Field Office at the Fairbanks District Office Administrative Site, Fairbanks, Alaska | 5/2/17 | 5/24/17 Sent to Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1591) |
| Alaska Native Claims Selection Village of Tuluksak | 4/12/17 | 5/4/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1565) |
| Notice of Application for a Recordable Disclaimer of Interest for Lands Underlying the George River in Alaska | 5/13/16 | 5/4/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1154) |

| Arizona State Office | | |
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| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Notice of Availability of the Proposed Resource Management Plan Amendment/Final Environmental Impact Statement for Recreational Target Shooting in the Sonoran Desert National Monument, AZ | 5/16/17 | 5/23/17 Sent to Solicitor. (DTS 1600) |

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| Notice of Availability of the Draft Ray Land Exchange/Plan Amendment Supplemental EIS, Arizona | 3/28/17 | 5/23/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1526) |
| Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Noncompetitive Sale and Conveyance of Mineral Interests of Public Land in Maricopa and Pinal Counties, Arizona | 7/14/16 | 8/18/16 Sent back to AZSO for edits. (DTS 1222) |
| Proposed Noncompetitive (Direct) Sale and Conveyance of Mineral Interests of Public Land in Gila County, AZ | 6/19/15 | 9/12/16 Sent to Solicitor (Lands). (DTS 791) |
| Notice of Availability of the Sonoran Valley Parkway Project Final Environmental Impact Statement, Maricopa County, Arizona | 4/10/15 | 4/22/2016 On hold with AZSO. (DTS 700) |

| California State Office | | |
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| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Assessment and Draft Land Use Plan Amendment for the OMYA Direct Land Sale Project, California | 5/23/17 | 5/23/17 Sent to WO 210. (DTS 1616) |
| Notice of Reopening of Public Comment Period and Schedule of Public Scoping Meetings for the Proposed Withdrawal of California Desert Conservation Area Lands; California | 4/5/17 | 5/23/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1544) |
| Notice of Intent to Amend the Resource Management Plan for the Ukiah Field Office, California and Prepare an Associated Environmental Assessment for the Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument | 4/4/17 | 5/12/17 On hold, per CASO request. (DTS 1542) |
| Filing of Plats of Survey: California | 3/15/17 | 3/31/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1500) |
| Filing of Plats of Survey: California | 2/23/17 | 3/15/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1463) |
| Notice of Availability of Final Environmental Impact Statement and Notice of Decision for Proposed Land Exchange between the Bureau of Land Management and Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians, California | 2/10/17 | 4/14/17 Returned to CASO for edits on briefing paper. (DTS 1449) |
| Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Fort Ord National Monument, California | 1/18/17 | 5/23/17 Sent to WO 200. (DTS 1413) |
| Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Opportunity for Public Comment; Klamath National Forest, California | 10/17/16 | 2/17/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1299) |
| Notice of Intent to Prepare a DRAFT Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed United States Gypsum Company Expansion/Modernization Project, Imperial County, California. | 7/12/16 | 3/3/17 Returned to CASO. (DTS 1217) |

| Colorado State Office | | |
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| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Notice of Filing of Plats of Survey; Colorado | 4/20/17 | 5/22/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1574) |
| Notice of Filing of Plats of Survey; Colorado | 2/28/17 | 5/12/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1469) |
| Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rules for Travel Management on Public Lands in Montrose, Delta, San Miguel and Ouray Counties, Colorado | 12/23/16 | 5/23/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1387) |
| Notice of Intent to Collect Fees on Public Lands in Chaffee County, Colorado (Cache Creek Placer Area) | 11/3/16 | 11/10/16 Sent to Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1325) |
| Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Guffey Gorge in Park County, Colorado | 11/7/16 | 5/15/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1330) |

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| Notice of Intent to Collect Fees on Public Land in Park County, Colorado (Guffey Gorge Day Use Area) | 11/3/16 | 3/31/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1314) |
| Notice of Availability of the Record of Decision for the Bull Mountain Unit Master Development Plan, Gunnison County, CO | 8/5/16 | 5/12/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1241) |
| Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rules for Canyons of the Ancients National Monument in Montezuma and Dolores Counties, CO | 4/18/16 | 11/17/16 Returned to COSO for edits. (DTS 1128) |

| Eastern States Office | | |
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| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Notice of Competitive Coal Lease Sale ALES 55199, Alabama | 12/22/16 | 3/16/17 Returned to ESO with Solicitor comments. (DTS 1383) |
| Notice of Availability of the Proposed Resource Management Plan and Associated Final Environmental Impact Statement for Southeastern States District | 5/25/16 | 2/14/17 ESO is making edits. (DTS 1169) |

| Idaho State Office | | |
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| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Notice of Temporary Closure on Public Lands in Shoshone County, Idaho | 4/10/17 | 5/9/17 on hold, per IDSO request. (DTS 1559) |
| Notice of Availability of Final EIS and Proposed Monument Management Plan, Craters of the Moon National Monument, Idaho | 3/22/17 | Will publish in the Federal Register on 5/26/17. (DTS 1515) |
| Final Idaho Statewide Supplementary Rules | 3/7/17 | 5/18/17 Sent to WO 610. (DTS 1486) |
| Filing of Plats of Survey: Idaho | 3/7/17 | 5/12/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1485) |
| Notice of Intent to Prepare Two Great Basin Wide Programmatic Environmental Impact Statements to Support Sage Grouse Habitat Improvement | 1/11/17 | 4/4/17 On hold in WO 100. (DTS 1407) |
| Notice of Availability of the Record of Decision for the Gateway West Transmission Line Project and Approved Land Use Plan Amendments in Idaho | 1/9/17 | 3/3/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1399) |

| Montana State Office | | |
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| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Lease NDM 94112, North Dakota | 5/25/17 | 5/25/17 Sent to WO 310 Fluids Division. (DTS 1622) |
| Initial Classification and Extension of the Proposed Classification and Segregation for State In Lieu Selection, Montana | 5/25/17 | 5/25/17 Sent to WO 350 Land Tenure Staff. (DTS 1621) |
| Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Leases NDM 106959 and NDM 106960, North Dakota | 5/23/17 | 5/23/17 Sent to WO 310 Fluids Division. (DTS 1615) |
| Notice of Intent to Amend the Miles City Field Office 2015 Resource Management Plan and to Prepare an Associated Environmental Assessment, Montana | 5/22/17 | 5/22/17 Sent to WO 210 Planning. (DTS 1611) |
| Notice of Availability of the EA for BNI Coal Ltd.'s Coal Lease by Application NDM 102083, Oliver County, ND, Notice of Public Hearing, and Request for Comment on EA | 5/8/17 | 5/18/17 Sent to Solicitors (Minerals). (DTS 1596) |

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| Notice of Application for Withdrawal and Notification of Public Meetings; South Dakota and Wyoming; Correction | 3/13/17 | 5/19/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1497) |
| Legal Description of Limestone Hills Training Area Withdrawal, Montana | 3/9/17 | 4/21/17 Sent to Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1493). |
| Notice of Application for Withdrawal and Notification of Public Meeting; Montana Correction | 12/30/16 | 3/15/17 Sent to Exec. Sec. (DTS 1391) |
| Notice of Availability of the Draft Resource Management Plan Revision and Associated Environmental Impact Statement for the Lewistown Field Office and a portion of the Butte Field Office, Montana. | 6/23/16 | 3/9/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1197) |

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| Nevada State Office | | |
| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Notice of Intent to Prepare a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Mount Hope Project, Eureka County, Nevada | 5/5/17 | 5/15/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1593) |
| Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Greater Phoenix Project, Lander County, Nevada | 4/14/17 | 5/22/17 Sent to Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1569) |
| Notice of Temporary Closure and Temporary Restrictions of Specific Uses on Public Lands for the Burning Man Event (Permitted Event), Pershing County, NV | 4/10/17 | 5/8/17 Sent to WO 200. (DTS 1560) |
| Notice of Temporary Closures of Public Land in Washoe County, Nevada | 3/16/17 | 5/9/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1505) |
| Notice of Realty Action: Competitive Sale of 17 Parcels of Public Land in Clark County, NV | 2/22/17 | Will publish in the Federal Register on 5/26/17. (DTS 1462) |
| Notice of Intent to Prepare a Supplement to the Draft Resource Management Plan and Associated Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Southern Nevada District Planning Area, comprising the Las Vegas and Pahrump Field Offices and Gold Butte National Monument | 1/6/17 | 5/5/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1397) |
| Notice of Realty Action: Direct Sale of Public Land in Clark County, Nevada | 11/17/16 | 5/4/17 Returned to Exec Sec. (DTS 1347) |

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| New Mexico State Office | | |
| Title | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
| Notice of Application for a Recordable Disclaimer of Interest: Harris County, Texas | 5/18/17 | 5/25/17 Sent to Solicitors. (DTS 1603) |
| Notice of Public Meeting for the Farmington District Resource Advisory Council | 4/19/17 | 4/27/17 POSTPONED. (DTS 1572) |
| Notice of Public Meeting for the Las Cruces District Resource Advisory Council | 4/7/17 | 4/27/17 POSTPONED. (DTS 1557) |
| Notice of Availability of the Draft Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement for the BLM Carlsbad Field Office, New Mexico | 4/4/17 | 5/19/17 WO 210 is coordinating with the Carlsbad FO to ensure that the full range of alternatives has been evaluated prior to surnaming. (DTS 1545) |
| Notice of Extension of the Category 5 Royalty Rate Reduction Qualification for Oklahoma Federal Coal Within a Designated Area of Nine Oklahoma Counties (OKNM 96155) | 4/4/17 | 5/15/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1538) |

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| Notice of Public Meeting for the Pecos District Resource Advisory Council, New Mexico | 3/23/17 | 4/27/17 POSTONED. (DTS 1521) |
| Notice of Filing of Plats of Survey: New Mexico | 3/8/17 | 5/12/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1491) |
| Notice of Public Meeting, Albuquerque District Resource Advisory Council Meeting, New Mexico | 3/8/17 | 4/27/17 POSTPONED. (DTS 1490) |
| Notice of Crude Helium Auction and Sale for Fiscal Year 2018 Delivery | 2/21/17 | 5/22/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1460) |
| Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Recreation and Public Purpose Act Classification for Conveyance of Public Lands in Sante Fe County, New Mexico | 2/9/17 | 5/22/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1445) |
| Notice of Application for Recordable Disclaimer of Interest: New Mexico | 12/22/16 | 3/20/17 NMSO is responding to edits. (DTS 1380) |
| Notice of Application for Extension of Public Land Order No. 7296, and Opportunity for Public Meeting, Sacramento Peak Observatory, New Mexico | 11/29/16 | 3/8/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1360) |
| Notice of Availability of the Rio Puerco Proposed RMP and Final EIS for the Rio Puerco Field Office, New Mexico | 3/11/15 | 10/12/16 NMSO is revising the communication plan. (DTS 665) |
| Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Public Lands in New Mexico | 6/23/16 | 4/12/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1198) |

| Oregon State Office | | |
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| Notice of Application for Withdrawal, Notice of Public Meeting, and Extension of Public Comment Period for Proposed Withdrawal in the Methow Valley; Washington | 4/7/17 | 5/5/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1550) |
| Notice of Closure on Public Lands of Yellowstone Bridge in Linn County, OR | 3/31/17 | 5/18/17 Sent to Law Enforcement. (DTS 1597) |
| Filing of Plats of Survey: Oregon/Washington | 3/29/17 | 4/7/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1529) |
| Filing of Plats of Survey: Oregon/Washington | 2/24/17 | 5/12/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1467) |
| Notice of Availability of the Record of Decision for the Boardman to Hemingway Transmission Line Project and Approved Land use Plan Amendments, Oregon | 1/9/17 | 5/24/17 Sent to WO 610. (DTS 1401) |
| Notice of Intent to Establish Recreation Fees on Public Lands in Clackamas County | 12/6/16 | 4/20/17 Requested DOI Briefing Paper from ORSO. (DTS 1365) |
| Final Supplementary Rules for Public Lands at Bastendorff Beach and the Associated Headlands in Coos County, Oregon | 11/1/16 | 5/18/17 Sent to WO 610. (DTS 1337) |
| Notice of Temporary Emergency Road Closure for Public Lands in the Neal Creek Area of Linn County, Oregon | 3/31/16 | 5/2/16 Returned to ORSO for revision. (DTS 1103) |
| Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rules on Public Lands in Oregon | 2/24/15 | 03/16/2017 Returned to ORSO with WO 250 edits. (DTS 644) |
| Notice of Temporary Closure on Public Lands in Douglas County, OR (White Castle) | 8/22/13 | 11/19/2013 On hold. (DTS 74) |

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| Interim Final Supplementary Rule to Prohibit Target Shooting on 2,004 acres of Public Lands in the Eastern Lake Mountains, Utah County, Utah | 4/7/17 | 5/5/17 Sent to WO 200. (DTS 1554) |
| Notice of Availability for the Draft Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement for the Cedar City Field Office Planning Area, Utah | 3/28/17 | 5/28/17 Sent to Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1527) |
| Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Greater Chapita Wells Natural Gas Infill Project, Uintah County, Utah | 3/22/17 | 5/11/17 Sent to WO 610. (DTS 1514) |
| Utah Resource Advisory Council Meeting | 3/22/17 | 4/27/17 POSTPONED. (DTS 1519) |
| Notice of Grand Staircase Escalante National Monument Advisory Committee Meeting | 3/16/17 | 4/27/17 POSTPONED. (DTS 1503) |
| Notice of Availability of the Draft Monument Management Plan Amendment and a Draft Environmental Impact Statement for Livestock Grazing for the Grand Staircase Escalante National Monument | 3/1/17 | 5/17/17 Sent to Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1471) |
| Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Public Lands in Moab Field Office, Utah | 2/17/17 | 5/25/17 Sent to WO 100 for revised documents uploaded. (DTS 1456) |
| Notice of Filing of Plats of Survey, Utah | 1/31/17 | 3/9/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1429) |

| Wyoming State Office | | |
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| Filing of Plats of Survey, Wyoming | 4/24/17 | 5/22/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1581) |
| Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Normally Pressured Lance Natural Gas Development Project | 4/24/17 | 5/22/17 Sent to WO 610. (DTS 1580) |
| Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Alkali Creek Reservoir Project, Big Horn County, Wyoming | 3/14/17 | 5/25/17 In WO 630 (DTS 1498) |
| Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement and Notice of Public Meeting on a Federal Coal Lease by Application in the Decertified Powder River Federal Coal Production Region, WY | 3/10/17 | 5/19/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1495) |
| Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Non Competitive Lease of Public Land in Johnson County, WY | 2/10/17 | 4/21/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1447) |
| Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement to Address Livestock Grazing in the Granite Mountain Open Common Allotment | 11/29/16 | 3/24/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1358) |
| Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Leavitt Reservoir Expansion Project, Big Horn County, Wyoming | 10/7/16 | 5/25/17 In WO 630. (DTS 1293) |

| Washington Office | Date Rcvd. | Current Status |
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| Automatic Adjustment of Minimum Special Recreation Permit Fees and Assigned Site Fees | 4/24/17 | 5/19/17 Sent to ASLM (DTS 1583) |
| Renewal of Approved Information Collection OMB Control No. 1004 0196 | 4/17/17 | Will publish in the Federal Register on 5/26/17. (DTS 1570) |
| 60 Day Notice: Renewal of Approved Information Collection; OMB Control No. 1004 0103 | 4/4/17 | 5/2/17 Sent to ASLM (DTS 1537) |

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| Gold Butte National Monument Advisory Committee Establishment; Call for Nominations, Nevada | 1/13/17 | 4/4/17 On hold with WO 640. (DTS 1409) |
| Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee Establishment; Call for Nominations, Utah | 1/12/17 | 4/4/17 On hold with WO 640. (DTS 1408) |

VI. Congressional Activities:

BLM Congressional / Legislative Report

May 24, 2017

Hearings

FY 2018 Budget Hearings / DOI: Secretary Zinke is tentatively scheduled to testify before the following committees on the President's FY 2018 Budget Request for the Department of the Interior:

- June 8 – House Interior Appropriations Subcommittee;
- June 21 – Senate Interior Appropriations Subcommittee; and
- Week of June 21 - Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee

Oversight Hearing / State-Federal Partnerships: During the week of June 19 or 26, the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining tentatively plans to hold a hearing on “Restoring Watersheds and Large Landscapes Across Boundaries Through State and Federal Partnerships” Date and witness TBD.

BLM State Director Courtesy Visits

Courtesy Visits / Montana & Dakotas Congressional Delegations: The week of June 12, BLM MT/Dakotas Acting State Director Jon Raby plans to conduct visits with members and staff of the Montana and Dakotas congressional delegations to discuss public land management issues including: energy development, pipelines, grazing and rangeland issues, mining, and fire management.

Courtesy Visits / California Congressional Delegation: The week of June 26, BLM-CA State Director Jerry Perez plans to conduct visits with members and staff of the California congressional delegation in Washington, D.C. to discuss public land management issues in California, including: oil and gas development, management planning efforts, wildfire, renewable energy, and recreation.

Congressional Visits in the Field

Rep. Panetta (D-CA-20) / Briefing on Clear Creek Management Area & Fort Ord National Monument (FONM): The week of May 29, BLM-California State Director Jerry Perez (along with Central Coast Field Manager Ben Blom and FONM Manager Eric Morgan) will meet with Rep. Panetta, at his request, to discuss the Clear Creek Management Area and the Fort Ord National Monument.

VII. Weekly Audit Report:

| DTS# | Report Title | Comments | WO100 Review | ASLM Review | Due PFM | Due GAO, OIG, Congress |
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| 11041 | Final Audit Report Oil and Gas Development: Improved Collection and Use of Data Could Enhance BLM's Ability to Assess and Mitigate Environmental Impacts (GAO 17 307) Link to the Report: http://www.gao.gov/products/GAO_17_307 | The response is awaiting the Office of WO 100 final clearance and approval. Per PFM, the 5/31 due date is a fixed dated and an extension will not be granted. | 5/18 5/23 | 5/24 5/30 | 5/31/2017 | 7/10/2017 |
| TBD | Draft Audit Report Oil, Gas, and Coal Royalties: Raising Federal Rates Could Decrease Production on Federal Lands but Increase Federal Revenue (GAO 17 540) Link to the Report: N/A | The report does not contain any recommendations. BLM has no comments (program level). If bureau specific comments are required, all comments are due to PFM by 6/2/17. | TBD | TBD | 06/02/2017 | 6/16/2017 |

VIII. Packages in WO-100:

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| 1 | | BLM0011020 | BP | IM on Lands Suitable for Disposal | | BLM WO 210 PLAN DIVISION | |
| 2 | A/S | BLM0010139 | GAO/OIG CLOSURE | Request to Close Recommendations 4 & 5 in GAO 15 520 Renewable Energy: BLM Has Limited Assurance that Wind and Solar Projects are Adequately Bonded | Request to Close Recommendations 4 & 5 in GAO 15 520 Renewable Energy: BLM Has Limited Assurance that Wind and Solar Projects are Adequately Bonded | Schneider, Janice M. | |
| 3 | A/S | BLM0010345 | CP | Keystone XL Pipeline Communication Plan and Press Release | | BLM WO 350 LAND TENURE STAFF | |

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| 4 | A/S | BLM0009514 | LTR | Buffalo Horn Land Exchange Congressional Notification Letters | Congressional notification letters to the Committees to fulfill requirements of the Consolidated Appropriations Act pertaining to land exchanges where the Federal land value is over \$500,000. | BLM CO SD | |
| 5 | A/S | BLML000123 | PLO | BOR Withdrawal for the Brantley/Carlsbad Project (Avalon Reservoir) | | Schneider, Janice M. | |
| 6 | A/S | BLMR001399 | FRN | Notice of Availability Record of Decision for Gateway West Transmission Line Project, Idaho | Sent to OFR on 1/19/17 Withdrawn on 1/23/17 The combined notice announces the BLM Decision to grant rights of way on public lands in Idaho for two segments of the Gateway West electric transmission line project, and publishes the BLM Director's response to the Idaho Governor's appeal of the BLM Idaho State Director's determination regarding the Governor's review of the consistency between the land use plan amendments associated with the right of way grant and state and local laws, policies | | 01/09/2017 |
| 7 | AA | BLM0009522 | DM | Decision Memo; Affirmative Litigation re Wisteria Island | | BLM WO 300 SENIOR ADV | |
| 8 | AD | BLM0008486 | MEM | RMP Extension Request (s) Concurrence Memo | RMP Ext. Requests for DTS upload. These are finalized for uploading to DTS. Three concurrence memos: AK BSWI Extension Request Concurrence Memo AK CY Extension Request Concurrence Memo NM RMP Extension Request Concurrence Memo | BLM AK SD | |
| 9 | AD | BLM0010727 | MEM | Wild Horse Burro GAO Response to Questions | The GAO is continuing its work on horse related questions from Congress. The had originally | bail, Kristin | |

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| | | | | | involved the BLM only peripherally; however, they recently submitted a list of follow up questions after our initial meeting with them. They are looking for a quick turnaround as this information is to be included in an interim report this summer. | | |
| 10 | D | BLM0011033 | CC ES | recommendation of of Kirk Daehling for Northwest Colorado Resource Advisory Council | | Tipton, Scott; Zinke, Ryan | 05/16/2017 |
| 11 | D | BLM0010958 | CC WO | NOIs to prepare EIS for Alkali Creek Reservoir and Leavitt Reservoir Expansion Projects | | Barrasso, MD, John | 05/10/2017 |
| 12 | D | BLM0010294 | BP | ACCCNRS Meeting Briefing | | Nedd, Michael D | |
| 13 | D | BLM0010221 | CC ES | Superior National Forest/Boundary Waters Canoe Area Twin Metals mining withdrawal | Cross Reference: 10122 Nolan, 10249 Dayton, 10129 Emmer, 10301 Emmer, 10233 Fedo, 10221 Loon | Zinke, Ryan; Loon, Douglas B.; Perdue, Sonny | 03/06/2017 |
| 14 | D | BLM0010233 | CC ES | Superior National Forest/Boundary Waters Canoe Area Twin Metals mining withdrawal | Cross Reference: 10122 Nolan, 10249 Dayton, 10129 Emmer, 10301 Emmer, 10233 Fedo, 10221 Loon | Fedo, Lory; Zinke, Ryan; Perdue, Sonny | 03/13/2017 |
| 15 | D | BLMR001565 | FRN | Alaska Native Claims Selection | The notice announces the Bureau of Land Management Alaska will issue an appealable decision approving conveyance of lands to the Alaska Native village corporation of Tulkisarmute Incorporated, pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971. As provided by ANCSA, the BLM will convey the subsurface estate in the same lands to Calista Corporation when the BLM conveys the surface estate to Tulkisarmute Incorporated. | | 04/12/2017 |
| 16 | D | BLM0010822 | CC ES | concerns about Secretary's Order 3349 | | Pica, Erich; Sharpless, | 05/01/2017 |

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| | | | | | | Andrew; Karpinski, Gene; Van Noppen, Trip; Brune, Michael; Clark, Jamie Rappaport; Irvin, Wm. Robert; Yarnold, David; Wendelgass, Robert; Pierno, Theresa; Williams, Jamie; Leonard, Annie; Zinke, Ryan; Suh, Rhea; Magana, Mark; Carter, Jeff | |
| 17 | D | BLM0010215 | CC ES | Energy opportunities at Fort Knox | | Paul, Rand; Zinke, Ryan | 03/10/2017 |
| 18 | D | BLMR001447 | FRN | Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Non Competitive Lease of Public Land in Johnson County, WY | This proposed non competitive lease would resolve an inadvertent trespass to a family that placed their mobile home and other structures partially on BLM lands. The lease would authorize the existing year round occupancy and, with the applicable removal and restoration stipulations, would be the final resolution to the trespass. | | 02/10/2017 |
| 19 | D | BLMR001449 | FRN | Notice of Availability of Final Environmental Impact Statement and Notice of Decision for Proposed Land Exchange between the Bureau of Land Management and Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians, Calif | The BLM is announcing the release of the Final Environmental Impact Statement and Record of Decision approving a land exchange with the Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians. The exchange includes roughly 4,000 acres. | | 02/10/2017 |
| 20 | D | BLMR001550 | FRN | Notice of Application for Withdrawal, Notice of Public Meeting, and Extension of Public Comment Period for Proposed Withdrawal in the Methow Valley; Washington | A Notice of Proposed Withdrawal was published in the Federal Register on 12/10/2016 for approximately 340,079 acres of National Forest System lands located in the Methow Valley, Okanogan | | 04/07/2017 |

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| | | | | | National Forest. The purpose of the withdrawal is to protect the area while Congress considers legislation to permanently withdraw the lands and to protect the value of ecological and recreational resources of the Methow Valley. | | |
| 21 | D | BLMR001526 | FRN | Notice of Availability of the Draft Ray Land Exchange/Plan Amendment Supplemental EIS, Arizona | This Draft Supplemental EIS documents additional analysis of potential environmental impacts of a proposed land exchange between the BLM and ASARCO (mining company); approximately 10,976 acres of public lands and federally owned mineral estate in Arizona for acquisition by ASARCO in exchange for approximately 7,304 acres of private land in Arizona identified by the BLM as desirable for public ownership. | | 03/28/2017 |
| 22 | D | BLMR001593 | FRN | Notice of Intent to Prepare a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Mount Hope Project, Eureka County, Nevada | Eureka Molys Mount Hope Project is a new molybdenum mine in central Nevada. The project encompasses approximately 8,355 acres of new surface disturbance, 8,092 of which are on public lands administered by the BLM, and 263 acres on private lands controlled by EML. The SEIS is being prepared following a decision by the Ninth Circuit finding the justification for air quality analysis insufficient. The SEIS will also supplement the analysis of public water reserves and provide updated information. | | 05/05/2017 |
| 23 | D | BLMR001397 | FRN | Notice of Intent to Prepare a Supplement to the Draft RMP for the Southern Nevada District Planning Area, | The Southern Nevada District Office is seeking public input on specific land use and management issues in southern Nevada. | | 01/06/2017 |

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| | | | | comprising the Las Vegas and Pahrump Field Offices and Gold Butte NM | The scope of the Supplemental Draft Resource Management Plan (and its associated Environmental Impact Statement) is limited to the specific issues of solar energy zones and solar development, Areas of Critical Environmental Concern, lands with wilderness characteristics, land disposals, and socio economics. For the geographic area of Gold Butte National Monument, the scop | | |
| 24 | D | BLMR001241 | FRN | Notice of Availability of the Record of Decision for the Bull Mountain Unit Master Development Plan, Gunnison County, Colorado | Will need new signature pages. The BLM is announcing the release of the Record of Decision for the Bull Mountain Unit Master Development Plan, providing direction for the development of approximately 19,670 acres of federal and private mineral estate near Paonia, CO. The plan provides a framework for developing up to 146 natural gas wells, four water disposal wells and construction of associated access roads and pipelines for leases operated by SG Interests I, Ltd. The decision also approves on | | 08/05/2016 |
| 25 | D | BLMR001197 | FRN | Notice of Availability of the Draft Resource Management Plan Revision and Associated Environmental Impact Statement for the Lewistown Field Office and a portion of the Butte Field Office, Montana. | Notice announces the start of the public comment period for the resource management plan and its associated EIS for public lands and resources located in Central Montana that are managed by the Lewistown Field Office and a portion of the Butte Field Office in northern Lewis and Clark County, Montana. | | 06/23/2016 |
| 26 | D | BLMR001387 | FRN | Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rules for Travel Management on Public Lands in | The proposed rules would restrict the possession and use of motorized and mechanized vehicles to | | 12/23/2016 |

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| | | | | Montrose, Delta, San Miguel and Ouray Counties, Colorado | designated travel routes, implement seasonal closures to protect big game wintering habitat within each travel plan, and restrict pets from within the Ridgway Travel Management planning area. | | |
| 27 | D | BLMR001407 | FRN | Notice of Intent to Prepare Two Great Basin Wide Programmatic Environmental Impact Statements to support wildlife habitat improvement | The notice will initiate a 60 day public scoping period to identify issues that will be analyzed in two programmatic environmental impact statements (EIS) the BLM will prepare to analyze the effects of fuel breaks and fuels reduction projects designed to conserve and improve wildlife habitat on BLM managed lands in the Great Basin (southern Idaho, eastern Oregon, Nevada, northeastern California, western Utah and eastern Washington). | | 01/11/2017 |
| 28 | DD | BLM0010671 | MEM | New Members for the Bureau of Land Management Preservation Board | The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Preservation Board (Board) recommends and requests approval of two candidates to replace members whose terms will expire on May 31, 2017. | Assistant Director, | |
| 29 | DD | BLM0010939 | FTVL | Chris McAlear foreign travel to Canada | Chris McAlear is requesting to travel to Charottetown, Canada June 18 22 to attend the NAWPA annual working committee meeting. Robin Hawks is also requesting to attend. | McAlear, Chris | |
| 30 | DD | BLM0010940 | FTVL | Robin Hawks | Robin Hawks is requesting to travel to Charottetown, Canada June 18 22 to attend the NAWPA annual working committee meeting. Chris McAlear is also requesting to attend. | Hawks, Robin B. | |
| 31 | DD | BLM0010952 | IM | Reporting of proposed records of decisions and other decisions with | The purpose of this instruction memorandum (IM) is to respond to Secretarial direction to | BLM WO 200; BLM WO 300 | |

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| | | | | nationwide, regional, or statewide impact | report on any records of decision or other decisions with nationwide, regional, or statewide impact. This IM directs all state offices within the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), prior to issuing a record of decision (ROD) or any other final decision with nationwide, regional, or statewide impact, to submit a report to the appropriate program Directorate for its review and transmission to the Department. | | |
| 32 | DD | BLM0010881 | CC ES | Tule Wind Energy Project | | Pinto, Robert; Zinke, Ryan | 04/30/2017 |
| 33 | DD | BLM0010528 | MTG/CONF | Request for Meeting Approval | The purpose of this memorandum is to request approval for a meeting of the Wildlife Program State Office Leads and Washington Office 230 Division staff to be held near Albuquerque, NM from September 20 22, 2017. The Deputy Director approval for meetings that cost more than \$20,000 is required by Instruction Memorandum 2015 098. | Assistant Director, | |
| 34 | DD | BLM0009661 | DM | Organization Structure Changes for National Project Support Team | This Decision Memorandum (Memo), if approved as recommended directs the assignment of the National Transmission Support Team (NTST) from supervision by various Deputy State Directors (or Branch Chiefs if so assigned) to become a part of WO 350 assigned to supervision by the Branch Chief, Rights of Way. If the reassignment of the NTST is approved they will be combined with the National Project Managers into a National Realty Project Management Team (NRPMT) under a single manager for better and m | BLM WO 300 | |

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| 35 | DR | EST 00001665 | GOV | Request for Meeting Greater sage grouse | | Hickenlooper, John W.; Zinke, Ryan; Mead, Matt | 04/19/2017 |
| 36 | DS | BLM0011041 | GAO/OIG RESPONS E | GAO 17 307 | | BLM WO 830 | |
| 37 | DSD | BLMR001445 | FRN | Notice of Realty Action; Proposed Recreation and Public Purpose Act Classification for Conveyance of Public Lands in Santa Fe County, New Mexico | The proposed action conveys approx 470 acres of BLM land through the Recreation and Public Purpose Act (R&PP) to the New Mexico Department of Game and Fish. The proposed R&PP conveyance is for the construction of a multi use shooting range facility in the Sanfe Fe, New Mexico area. | | 02/09/2017 |
| 38 | S | BLM0010999 | CC ES | acquisition of donated lands for the Sabinoso Wilderness | | Udall, Tom; Heinrich, Martin; Zinke, Ryan | 05/15/2017 |
| 39 | S | BLM0011007 | CC ES | suspension of meetings and activities of committees and advisory boards/RACs | NOTE: Oregon Coastal and Southwest RACs have completed Secure Rural Schools business for the FY17. BLM is submitting a meeting waiver for Northwest Oregon RAC to complete SRS business prior to August 3, 2017. | Udall, Tom; Cantwell, Maria; Bennet, Michael F.; Merkley, Jeff; Heinrich, Martin; Wyden, Ron; Murray, Patty; Feinstein, Dianne; Zinke, Ryan | 05/11/2017 |
| 40 | S | BLM0010971 | CC ES | Badger Two Medicine area | Note that the 4/28 letter references the 4/13 letter that was not received by OES until now. Please draft single response to both letters, which are both contained in the incoming pdf. | Barnes, Harry; Zinke, Ryan | 05/02/2017 |
| 41 | S | BLM0010970 | CC ES | Proposed mineral withdrawal, wild horses, and SNPLMA | | Sandoval, Brian; Zinke, Ryan | 05/09/2017 |
| 42 | S | BLM0010690 | CC ES | Livestock grazing management guidance for approved RMP amendments | | Mead, Matt; Zinke, Ryan | 04/24/2017 |
| 43 | S | BLM0010420 | CC ES | SunZia Southwest Transmission Project | | Martinez, Susana; Zinke, | 03/30/2017 |

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| 44 | S | BLM0010488 | CC ES | Request for DOI acquisition of land near Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area | | Titus, Dina; Zinke, Ryan | 04/05/2017 |
| 45 | S | BLM0009754 | CDP | FY 2016 Annual Report to Congress on Helium Stewardship Act of 2013 | The Helium Stewardship Act of 2013 (P. L. 113 40) Requires an Annual Financial Report to Congress on Helium from the Secretary of the Interior. | BLM WO 300 | |
| 46 | S | BLMC000011 | Other | Annual Helium Report of 2015 | | BLM NM SD | |
| 47 | SD | BLM0011071 | LTR | Proposed NMDG&F Shooting Range Facility | | BLM WO 600CC | |
| 48 | SD | BLM0010697 | CC ES | Red Devil Mine contaminated site remediation planning | | Zinke, Ryan; Carey, Maver | 04/13/2017 |
| 49 | SD | BLM0010459 | CC SO | Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance request to be part of Bears Ears Monument Advisory Committee | | Groene, Scott | |
| 50 | SD | BLM0010431 | CC ES | Constituent Noel Cousins re: Mining claim in Inyo County, CA | | Flake, Jeff; Neimeyer, Sarah | 04/03/2017 |
| 51 | SD | BLM0010421 | CC ES | Constituent Ron Nuckles re: effect of hiring freeze on job offer from BLM | *Identical response will be sent to Sen Kaine | Goodlatte, Bob; DOI,; Kaine, Tim | 03/30/2017 |
| 52 | SD | BLMR001358 | FRN | Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement to Address Livestock Grazing in the Granite Mountain Open Common Allotment | The Notice of Intent starts the public notification of the Bureau of Land Management, Lander, Wyoming Field Office?s analyzing the issuance of a permit for livestock grazing on approximately 80,000 acres of public land in Fremont County in West Central Wyoming. | | 11/29/2016 |
| 53 | SS | EST 00001168 | CM | Suggestion to use Burned Area Rehabilitation (BAR) program to fund wildfire damage | | Cantwell, Maria; Zinke, Ryan; Cerulean, Susan | 03/31/2017 |